PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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For: A SYSTEM FOR PROGRAMMING ROBOTS OR SIMILAR AUTOMATIC

APPARATUSES, COMPRISING A PORTABLE PROGRAMMING TERMINAL

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

MAIL STOP NON-FEE AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Prior to examination, please amend the above-identified application as follows on the accompanying pages.

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Please amend the specification to read as follows:

Page 1, delete the heading "TEXT OF DESCRIPTION" and insert the heading

BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION

Page 3, after the third full paragraph insert the heading

SUMMARY OF THE INVENTION

Page 5, before the first full paragraph insert the heading

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE DRAWINGS